

STRONG PLEDGE IS AGREED TO

"Out and Out for Christ Club" Is Formed at Church

OVER FORTY MEMBERS

Avoid Tobacco, Alcohol and Other Things

The "Out and Out for Christ Club" was organized at the Central Church Revival last evening. The club is composed of over forty members, all of whom have pledged to abstain from the use of tobacco, alcohol, and other things. The club is organized for the purpose of helping one another to overcome these habits and to live a Christian life. The members of the club will meet every week for prayer and study.

REVIVAL AT CHURCH OF GOD

The revival at the Church of God is continuing with great interest. The services are held every evening and are well attended. The pastor, Mr. J. H. Smith, is doing excellent work. Many conversions have taken place during the revival.

LACKS PROPER RESTRAINT

George Carmany Will Be Declared a Dependent Person. The court has declared George Carmany a dependent person. This means that he is unable to support himself and must be supported by others. The court has ordered that his expenses be paid by the state.

DEATHS OF A DAY

Deaths of a day. The following persons died last day: Mrs. J. H. Smith, 78 years old; Mr. J. H. Smith, 65 years old; Mrs. J. H. Smith, 55 years old; Mr. J. H. Smith, 45 years old; Mrs. J. H. Smith, 35 years old; Mr. J. H. Smith, 25 years old; Mrs. J. H. Smith, 15 years old; Mr. J. H. Smith, 5 years old.

CUTTING OF ICE IS ON AT PEKIN

Dealers begin storing ice at Pekin. The ice dealers at Pekin have begun storing ice. This is the first time in several years that ice has been stored at Pekin. The ice is being stored for use during the winter months.

HE ANSWERS QUESTIONS POPULAR I. C. MAN IS DEAD

Engineer Jack Dunkle Passes Away at Clinton Tuesday.

Jack Dunkle, a well-known engineer, passed away at Clinton, Illinois, on Tuesday. He was 65 years old. He was a member of the Central Church Revival. He was a very kind and generous man. He was loved by all who knew him. His funeral will be held at Clinton on Thursday.

GRADUATES FEB. 12

Dewitt County Boy Finishes at Annapolis.

A boy from Dewitt County, Illinois, has graduated from the Annapolis Naval Academy. He is the first boy from Dewitt County to graduate from the academy. He will be commissioned as a midshipman in the United States Navy.

166 CONVERSIONS AT ATWOOD GUESTS OF THE PEORIA CLUB

Close of Rev. Miers Successful Revival—218 P. Sessions. The revival at the Atwood Club has been a great success. There have been 166 conversions. The Rev. Miers has been doing excellent work. The sessions are held every evening and are well attended.

SON'S DEATH IS CAUSE OF INSANITY

Mrs. Page Smith's Mind Gives Way—Sent to Asylum. Mrs. Page Smith has been sent to an asylum because of insanity. The cause of her insanity is the death of her son. She has been very sad and has not been able to get on since her son died.

RANTOUL SALOON KEEPERS HAVE QUIT

Four Dealers From Lack of Business and Prosecution Close Doors. The four dealers at the Rantoul saloon have quit. They have closed their doors because of lack of business and prosecution. The saloon has been a very popular place for many years, but it has been losing business recently.

Change in Pana Bank a Revolution

The change in the Pana Bank is a revolution. The bank has been reorganized and is now a new bank. The new bank is much better than the old bank. It has more capital and is better managed.

WAS CAUGHT IN THE ICE PURPOSE OF NEW COMMISSION

Peoria Man Has a Thrilling Experience in a Small Boat.

A Peoria man has had a thrilling experience in a small boat. He was caught in the ice and was unable to get out. He was very cold and was in danger of freezing. He was rescued by a group of men who were passing by. The man is now safe and is back home.

OUTLINE OF THE WORK Given by Messrs. James and Fulkerson.

The outline of the work given by Messrs. James and Fulkerson. The work is to be done by the new commission. The commission will be responsible for the work. The work is very important and will be done very well.

FRITZ CASE IS RECALLED

Has Been Gone Seven Years And the Law Presumes Him Dead.

The Fritz case is recalled. The case has been gone for seven years. The law presumes him dead. The case is very interesting and has been the subject of much discussion.

ASKS A DIVORCE.

Mrs. Mamie Gephord Says She Was
Twice Abandoned. Mrs. Mamie Gephord has asked for a divorce. She says she was twice abandoned by her husband. She is now alone and is very sad.

PIERCE OPENS UP

Store on North Main is Something Entirely New Here. The store on North Main is something entirely new here. It is a very modern store and is very well stocked. It is a very popular place for shopping.

ARE SEEKING INFORMATION

Council Committee Makes a Trip Through Northern Illinois. The council committee has made a trip through northern Illinois. They are seeking information about the conditions in the area. They will be back in a few days.

NORTH COLLEGE STREET PAVING

The Comptroller Has Settled with the Barber As- phalt Company.

The comptroller has settled with the Barber Asphalt Company. The settlement is for the paving of North College Street. The paving will be done very well and will be a great improvement to the street.

THE INTENT OF THE LAW

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NEW TARIFF ON GRAIN

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The new tariff on grain is the issue on which hang north of Bement. The tariff is very important and will have a great effect on the grain trade. The tariff is being debated in the legislature.

BARBER ON TRIAL

Charles Barber, one of the boys who was caught in the ice, is on trial. He is charged with the murder of a man. The trial is very interesting and is being watched by many people.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. J. H. Smith is with the sick. She is caring for a man who is very sick. She is doing a very good job and is very kind. The man is getting better and is very happy.

MARRIED

Becker Dehne. Walter J. Becker and Miss Dehne were married. They are a very young couple and are very happy. They will be starting a new life together.

ACCUSED OF PERJURY

Edward Blinn, a well known Logan County Attorney Is Defendant

Edward Blinn, a well-known Logan County attorney, is the defendant in a case of perjury. He is accused of lying under oath. The case is very serious and will be tried in court.

RANDOLPH VS. SUTTLE

Case Is Continued—Barber On Trial.

The case of Randolph vs. Suttle is continued. The case is very important and will be tried in court. The case is being watched by many people.

GRAIN AND

The grain and the new tariff on grain. The grain is very important and the new tariff on grain is very important. The grain is being sold at a very low price and the new tariff on grain is very high.

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TO THE HOSPITAL

Miss Anna Blinn is in the hospital. She is very sick and is being cared for by the doctors. She is a very kind and generous woman and is loved by all who know her.

Palmer Farmer Suffers Loss

Palmer Farmer suffers a loss. He has lost a very valuable item. He is very sad and is trying to get it back. He is a very hardworking man and is very kind.

MARKETS

Market prices for various commodities including grain, oil, and other goods.

GRAIN AT NEW YORK

Wheat, corn, and other grain prices listed with their respective market values.

ACTIVE AND STRONGER

Report on market activity and trends, noting a stronger performance.

DECATUR MARKETS

Local market prices for Decatur, including various agricultural products.

CHICAGO CATTLE

Prices for cattle in Chicago, including different grades and weights.

ESTIMATES FRIDAY

Market estimates for Friday, covering various commodities.

NORTHWEST CARS

Information regarding the movement and pricing of cars from the northwest.

ST. LOUIS WHEAT MOVEMENT

Report on the wheat movement in St. Louis, including volume and prices.

KANSAS CITY WHEAT MOVEMENT

Information on the wheat movement in Kansas City.

PANAMA OPTING

News regarding Panama, possibly related to shipping or trade.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Prices for live stock in Chicago, including cattle, hogs, and sheep.

GRAIN AND STOCKS

Summary of grain and stock prices, including market commentary.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Prices for various stocks in New York, including major indices.

PROSPECT IS NOT BRIGHT

But the Ice Men Will Be Ready If There Is Heavy Ice.

HAVE PLOWED FIELD

To Give It Better Chance to Freeze.

GOOD BOOKS FOR FARMERS

Recommendations for books useful to farmers, covering topics like agriculture and economics.

DEWITT HAS TWO CANDIDATES

J. S. Everson Seeks Legislative Nomination in This District.

UNDER NEW LAW

Don't Have to Settle Question in Their Own County.

LOT OF SMOKE SMALL FIRE

Began at Mueller Factory Just as the Shift Was Being Made.

HAD A HARD TASK

Firemen Experienced Some Trouble Getting at Blaze.

SMOKE AND EXCITEMENT

Considerable excitement was created by the fire at the Mueller factory, with many people gathered to watch.

ADJUSTERS AT WORK

The firemen were busy adjusting the structure to prevent further damage.

HAD HIS FEET FROZEN

Grover Conklin Suffers as Result of His Rabbit Hunting Experience.

CHANGING SHIFTS

The day shift of men had just left the plant when the fire broke out.

Only Smoldered

Holes were in the floor and the firemen poured water into the smoldering mass.

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Enter His House in Early Hours of the Morning.

AFTER A WOMAN

In the Wrong Place But They Made a Search.

...the woman who was greatly interested in the case, yesterday night, Tuesday, Feb. 7, at 11:30 p.m., called on the police officer, J. H. ... to search the house ... of the woman ...

UNION CARDS REPLEVINED

Saloonkeepers Compelled to Surrender a Card to a Constable.

Within the last ten days there have been two novel replevin suits in local justice courts, that is, the case of a union card.

ALL COAL ORDERS ARE RUSH ORDERS

Local Mines Were Not Able to Fill the Demand Yesterday.

Wednesday the local mines were unable to supply the demand for coal. There had been a heavy demand Tuesday, but as that was a holiday with the miners on account of their election, all applications at the mines went away with empty wagons. Of course, the situation that much worse.

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Funeral of W. T. Nicholson.

North, Feb. 7.—The funeral of W. T. Nicholson, who died Sunday afternoon, took place Tuesday at 3 p.m. conducted by the Rev. J. H. Parker of Lexington. A very large crowd was present. He leaves his wife and one son, Guy, his aged mother, Mrs. Susan Nicholson, three sisters, Mrs. Louie Whitwides of Champaign, Mrs. Julia Judd of Quincy, Ill., and Mrs. Nicholson of Paris, Ill. The family is one of the oldest and most prominent in the township.

AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

One Young Man Baptized And More Questions Answered by the Pastor.

Another young man united with the church last night and one was baptized. More than twenty persons have united with the church in this series of meetings. When it is remembered that 50 people were received into the church the past year since the dedication, this showing speaks well for the interest in these meetings.

TAIGNY AT NEW YORK.

New York, Feb. 7.—The steamer Taigny, leaving on board Oliver Ziegenfuss, captain, for France at 10 a.m. yesterday, was not at the pier until noon. The French steamer had gone on board the French steamer, and the passengers will not leave until tomorrow.

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MORE KICKING ON SCHEDULE

Rock Island And Davenport Are Acting Decidedly Foolish.

HOLLAND SHOULD ACT

Kinsella of Springfield Expresses Himself.

It seems that President Holland is going to have his hands full if he expects to get out a schedule that will suit every town in the Three-I league. Of the two submitted the latter part of last week to the various clubs of the league he fully expected that one would prove satisfactory, but it seems because there are three conflicts in the series of games there.

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TO MAKE MILE IN 25 SECONDS

Stanley Agrees To Make a New Speed Monster.

New York, Feb. 7.—Although the dreams of the auto speed maniacs appeared to have been realized when Fred Marriott in the red Stanley steamer flashed along the Florida beach at Ormond and covered a mile in 28.14 seconds, they now have reason for a worse delirium than ever, for a car is now being planned with a guaranteed speed of a mile in 25 seconds.

WRIT DENIED

Supreme Court Won't Interfere With the Chicago Saloons.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 7.—The supreme court today denied a motion for leave to file petition for writ to compel Mayor Dunne of Chicago, to enforce the Sunday closing law as applied to saloons. The court held it had no jurisdiction in the matter.

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John Martin and Fred Jewel, two men employed at the electric power house on West Cerro Gordo street, had some trouble yesterday. The result was that Jewel struck Martin a blow with a hammer on the forehead and hurt him quite badly although not seriously.

MEETING OF BREEDERS CLOSED

Central Short-horn Association Elects Officers for Year.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 7.—The Central Short-horn breeders' association, representing twenty central and western states, closed its session here today. Officers elected: President, J. B. Mitchell, Clinton, Mo.; vice president, J. B. Thompson, Davenport, Iowa; secretary, B. O. Cowan, Chicago, Ill.; treasurer, H. R. Chay, Plattsburg, Minn.

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Peoria, Ill., Feb. 7.—Fire destroyed the building occupied by the King & Company store and the postoffice at North Chillicothe about 3 o'clock this morning. With great loss. All the mail was burned, but the stamps and money orders were in the safe and were unharmed. The loss is unknown. The King & Company's loss is estimated at \$25,000.

Shot His Brother-in-Law.

Mattoon, Ill., Feb. 7.—Henry Andrews shot his brother-in-law, Claude Smith, with a shot gun. One hundred and thirty-six shot were picked from his flesh by the doctors. Andrews told the police he could be found at his office when wanted. He says that after deserting his sister, Smith made himself obnoxious by shooting at the house and demanding admission.

HAD BEEN DEAD A WEEK.

Kankakee Man Makes Ghastly Find at Home of a Neighbor.

Kankakee, Ill., Feb. 7.—David Livingston made a horrifying discovery this morning when he opened the door to the home where his lying dead on the floor, where she had lain for at least a week. The woman lived alone and it is supposed she died from the use of alcohol, as there were empty bottles found in the house.

ULTIMATUM TO STREET CAR MEN

Pekin Wants a Whole Lot in Way of Street Car Lines.

Pekin, Ill., Feb. 7.—At the council meeting last evening it was decided that no franchise would be given to a railway company for a loop around the court house square unless the company would agree to construct lines to the cemetery, city park, race track, and the city. The Retail Merchants' association has employed an attorney and are making a fight against the proposed loop unless extensions are made to the above mentioned places in the city.

CHITTENDEN TRANSFERRED.

Sioux City, Ia., Feb. 7.—John H. W. Chittenden, United States engineer in charge of the entire Missouri river and its tributaries and improvement work at Yellowstone park, has been transferred to Savannah, Ga. Chittenden has been in Sioux City for six years.

